Docket No. 8042-002-US

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Michael A. Roes | Examiner: Glenn E. Richman

Art Group: 3764

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Title: Digital Weight Apparatus Having A Biometrics Based Security Feature

The Honorable Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 16, 2008; AND AMENDMENT COMPLIANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendment in response to the final Office Action dated June 16, 2008, having a shortened statutory period expiring on September 16, 2008.

Please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 502235.

Amendments to The Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8.